

FRONTEND DEVELOPER | UX DESIGNER & RESEARCHER

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SUMMARY

Creative and compassionate developer and designer. Passionate about collaborating and innovating with others.

SKILLS

FRONTEND WEB DEVELOPMENT React | Javascript | CSS | HTML | Router | TypeScript | Cypress | Test Driven Development: Mocha/Chai | Fetch/ APIs | Git, GitHub | Agile practices | Project management tools

UX DESIGN & RESEARCH Figma | Wireframing & Interactive Prototypes | Usability Testing | User Interviews | Information Architecture | Content Inventory & Audits | UI Design & Accessibility | Webflow | Adobe InDesign

PROJECTS

FRONTEND WEBSITE DESIGN & DEVELOPMENT

Avian Anthems 4-person group project | 40 hours | [GitHub](#)

- Using React Router, JSX, Typescript, Cypress, we built a website around a birdsong API
- Co-created this interactive, responsive site, remotely, using Agile project management in 8 days
- Taught ourselves Typescript and used it in the application

Rancid Rutabagas 2-person project | 50 hours | [GitHub](#)

- Using React Router, JSX, CSS, PropTypes, Cypress, we built a website to display movie reviews

Tic Tac Meow Solo project | 20 hours | [Link to play](#)

- Developed an app that allows users to play Tic Tac Toe with funny cats with Javascript, CSS, HTML
- Designed game logic and responsiveness allowing users to place tokens and celebrate wins

UX DESIGN

Ideal Gifts 3-person design-sprint team | one week | [Video demo & presentation](#)

- Developed an interactive prototype for a gift-giving app
- Conducted market and user research to inform product and design
- Conducted user testing and interviews that led to improvements in iterations
- Wrote user surveys, interviews scripts, and all micro and marketing copy

NPR One app | Solo Project | 10 days | [Case Study](#)

- Redesigned landing page of existing news app
- Used research-driven design to suggest improvements based on user interviews, testing, and research

WRITER, GRAPHIC DESIGNER, COPY EDITOR, Austin, Tucson, Denver

- Wrote website copy, press releases, newspaper columns, feature articles, social media posts
- Designed annual reports, brochures, and digital and print material for universities, non-profits

CO-FOUNDER, THE RESTORATION PROJECT AT CASA MARIPOSA, Tucson

- Imagined and co-led the formation and work of this ongoing community-based organization
- Supported people detained in and released from immigration detention centers near Tucson

EDUCATION & TRAINING

Turing School of Software & Design, Frontend Development, expected graduation August 2023

DigitalCrafts, Online, Certificate in UX Design

Episcopal Divinity School, Cambridge, MA, Masters of Divinity

Oklahoma State University, Stillwater, OK, Journalism B.A.